

LEE NOT IN THE RACE

General's Grandson Declines to Run for Governor.

ECHOLS IS OUT OF IT ALSO

Stanton Lawyer Declares He Has No Intention of Making the Race This Year—Both Mentioned by Element Displeased with the Candidacy of Tucker and Mann.

Col. Robert E. Lee, jr., grandson of the noted general, former member of the Virginia legislature, and a young lawyer of Fairfax County, Virginia, and Washington, who has been prominently mentioned for governor of Virginia in the past few days, announced yesterday that he is not a candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

Following the announcement of Col. Lee, The Washington Herald received a telegram from Edward Echols, of Staunton, Va., former State senator and lieutenant governor of Virginia, announcing that he will not enter the gubernatorial race.

The decision of these two men leaves the Virginia gubernatorial race with Harry S. George Tucker and Judge William Hodges Mann as the only candidates for the Democratic nomination.

The boom of Col. Lee and Mr. Echols seems to be more or less dissatisfaction with the present candidates for the Democratic nomination. Late efforts have been made to get other candidates in the race, resulting in the bringing forward of Col. Lee and Mr. Echols.

Mr. Echols wired The Washington Herald as follows: "In answer to your telegram asking me if I contemplate running for governor of Virginia this year, I will say it is not my intention to do so. Some friends have made the suggestion through the Richmond Daily News Leader, and while I appreciate the compliment, I am not a candidate."

Echols Surprised.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Staunton, Va., April 25.—When seen today in regard to the suggestion coming from Richmond that he enter the gubernatorial race, Senator Edward Echols said: "I was never more surprised in my life and I have no idea who started the suggestion. So far as I am concerned, of course, I am not a candidate for governor. The candidates, Tucker and Mann, have formed the ranks, and they will fight it out."

In referring to the Richmond News Leader's article, in which it was stated Senator Echols would make a good man, that he never drank a drop in his life, had an excellent wine cellar, and was a great entertainer, the senator laughed scornfully, and said that his local opinion friends would consider that very inconsistent.

NEW GRAIN RATE EFFECTIVE.

B. & O. Aims to Regain Business Diverted to Montreal.

Baltimore, April 25.—The new schedule of rates on grain from the Great Lakes to Baltimore which the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has adopted to meet the conditions at Montreal went into effect today, and is to continue for sixty days, unless revoked.

The Canadian lines, by a combination of water and rail rates, were enabled to handle wheat much lower than the quoted rates of the railroads reaching Baltimore.

The new tariff reduces the rate on wheat from Fairport, Ohio, to Locust Point, from 52 to 57. Although the rate is not as low as the grain trade had wished, it is believed that it is sufficient to again turn the flow of grain destined for Europe through this port.

BOY MAY HAVE RABIES.

Elkton Lad Was Bitten Nine Months Ago by Dog.

Elkton, Md., April 25.—Bitten by a dog nearly nine months ago, George Walker, the six-year-old son of Howard Walker, is seriously ill at his home at Elk Mills, three miles north of here, with what is believed to be hydrophobia.

Drs. Mitchell, of Elkton, and Carrion, of Cherry Hill, were at the bedside of the little fellow the greater part of last night, and while they are not yet positive, they fear he has rabies. The last summer the boy was bitten by a dog. It did not have rabies, but was reported to have been bitten by a dog which had the disease. However, it never developed the malady.

PREPARE FOR HOME WEEK.

Emmitsburg Citizens Organize and Appoint Committees.

Special to The Washington Herald. Emmitsburg, Md., April 25.—To prepare for the old home week celebration, to be held here July 13, 14, 15, and 16 next, a big committee, which will include representatives of every church and other organized body of the town, is being formed and will have general charge of the festivities. To begin the preparations in the meanwhile, chairmen of committees have been named as follows: Publicity and advertising, Sterling Galt; transportation, Vincent Sebald; sports and carnival, J. Brook Boyle; Grand Army of the Republic, Michael Hoke; exhibits and trades display, Stewart Anan; fraternal orders, E. C. Maser; soliciting, Andrew A. Horner; public comfort, J. W. Breighner; visiting clergy, Rev. A. M. Gluck.

DEMOCRATS NAME COUNCIL TICKET.

Special to The Washington Herald. Cumberland, Md., April 25.—The Democratic primaries to name candidates for council was held to-night and resulted as follows: First ward, George A. Reinhard, president of the present council; second, Joseph B. Furlong; third, Peter Spoerl; fourth, Charles M. Hobbilizer; fifth, Peter E. Wright; sixth, Ambrose Murphy. The only contests were in wards four and five. The Republican primaries will be held on Thursday night.

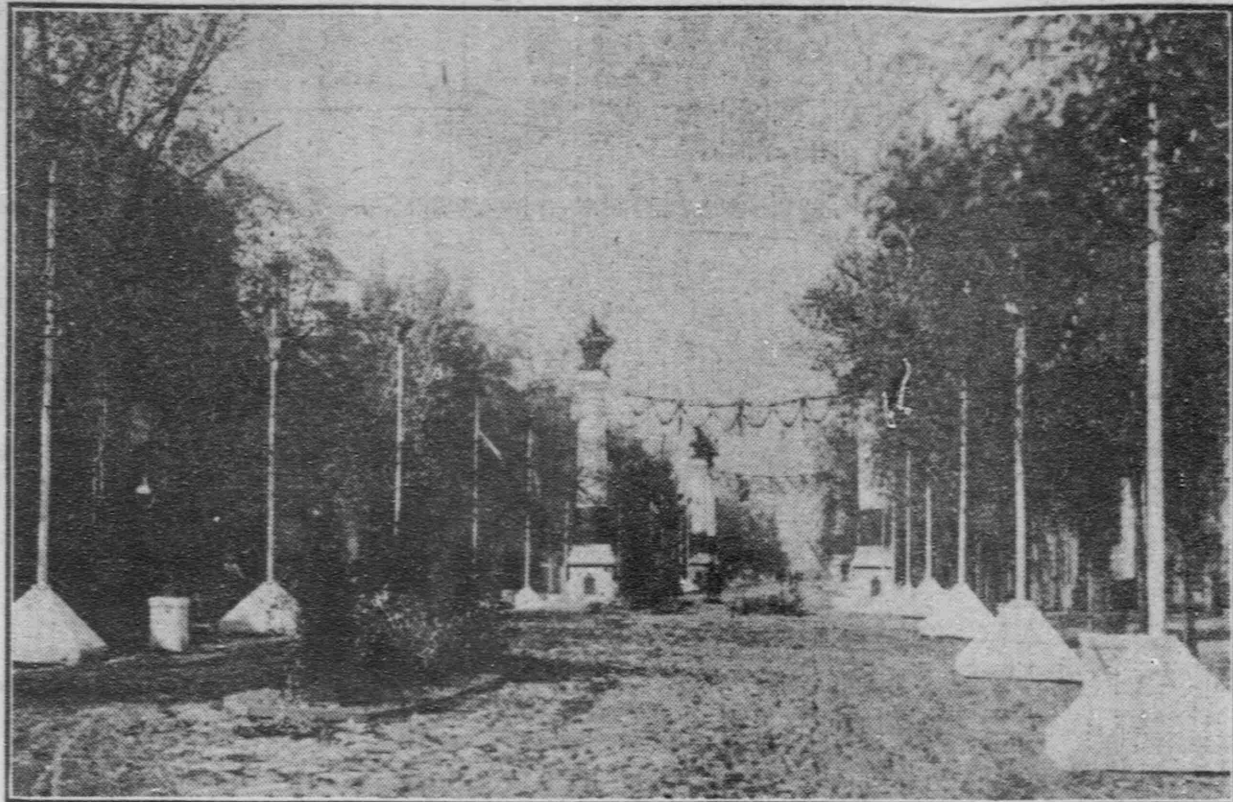
Mrs. Richard Fraser Dead.

Special to The Washington Herald. Winchester, Va., April 25.—Mrs. Sarah Fraser, wife of Richard Fraser and a daughter of the late Foster Burchell, of Berryville, died to-day at the Winchester Memorial Hospital, after a lingering illness, aged thirty-five. She leaves a husband, a mother, Mrs. Martha Burchell, two brothers, J. S. Burchell, of Buchanan, Mexico, and Albert Burchell, of Clarke County, and a sister, Mrs. J. E. Greiner, of Baltimore.

Died Two Weeks After Wedding.

Special to The Washington Herald. Grafton, W. Va., April 25.—Two weeks after his marriage, A. E. Harris died at his home at Elizabeth. His bride was Miss Dora Sorenson, of Parkersburg. Mr. Harris was arranging to attend a medical college next fall. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias.

INAUGURAL COURT OF HONOR IN ALEXANDRIA.



BOOSTS FULLER FOR JUDGE

James E. Shepard, a Colored Man, Indorses Democrat.

Carolina Republicans Raise Race Issue and Charge Political Opponents with Inconsistency.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Durham, N. C., April 25.—The Republicans of this county announce that they will raise the race question in politics in the next campaign, and gave as their reason the North Carolina Federal Judge-

ship. Dr. James E. Shepard, a well-known colored man, of Durham, was in Washington last week for his training school. He is a good friend of President Taft, and while there went to the White House. Mr. Taft desired to know more of F. L. Fuller, a Democrat, of Durham, who is one of the men spoken of for the honor. Dr. Shepard spoke highly of Mr. Fuller and, at the request of President Taft, reduced his estimate to writing. It is said to be the best tribute given the Durham Democrat.

The Republicans now are declaring that the Democrats have lived upon no issue since the war except the negro, and now a colored man is assisting them in securing a judgeship for one of their party. Offsetting the action of Dr. Shepard is the hard work of Assistant District Attorney J. A. Giles, who is in Washington about every week working for Col. Harry Skinner.

The Democrats do not appear to worry over the prospects of the race issue. Dr. Shepard's visit was not political. Dr. Shepard stumped the Middle West last fall for the Republican ticket, answering the attacks upon the administration of President Roosevelt with reference to his Brownsville course.

COAL TIPPLE BURNS.

Fire at Eagle, W. Va., Blocks C. & O. Railway Trains.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Hinton, W. Va., April 25.—The Diamond coal tipple, near Eagle, fifty miles west of here, one of the largest on the New River and Kanawha fields, was destroyed by fire to-day, damaging approximately \$15,000 worth of property. The fire extended to the Chesapeake and Ohio tracks, and blocked the main line over six hours, delaying the east and west bound limited trains, Nos. 1 and 4, about six hours.

It is reported that Carver Brothers, the owners will erect another modern tipple similar in construction. The cause of the fire is unknown.

NO CHANGE IN OFFICIALS.

Sale of N. & W. Stock Will Not Affect Management.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Rossmore, Va., April 25.—President Lucius E. Johnson, of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, to-day declared that there will be no change in the management of the Norfolk and Western because of the purchase last week by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company of \$100,000 worth of Norfolk and Western stock.

"The Pennsylvania does not control the Norfolk and Western," added Mr. Johnson. He said he could not, of course, tell whether the Pennsylvania would buy more Norfolk and Western stock.

TWO LICENSES TO OCEAN VIEW

Norfolk Summer Resort Will Not Be "Dry" This Summer.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Norfolk, Va., April 25.—Judge White, in the Circuit Court of Norfolk County, to-day announced his decision to grant a liquor license at Ocean View to C. H. Consolvo, at the Ocean City Hotel, and to Howard Gibson, at the Pavilion. Both of these had been held up. They are within the Ocean View Inclosure, and no more will be allowed there.

Judge White may grant one more "white" license at Pine Beach, but this is all. The bid will then be down, and no more licenses will be allowed in the county.

The court says it will see that no "blind tigers" are run, and those who attempt such a thing will find themselves in jail before they know it.

CAROLINA VETERAN DEAD.

Special to The Washington Herald. Salisbury, N. C., April 25.—Edwin Shaver, aged sixty-seven years, one of Salisbury's best known citizens, died at his home here, to-day, after a severe illness. He was one of the oldest citizens of Salisbury, and was widely known as a temperance worker in North Carolina. He was a Confederate veteran, and is survived by one daughter, who is now seriously ill.

Gives \$15,000 to Hospital Fund.

Special to The Washington Herald. Hagerstown, Md., April 25.—In celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of his marriage, William Newcomer, a well-known retired citizen, to-day made a donation of \$15,000 in cash to the trustees of the Washington County Hospital, to be added to the building fund.

Cumberland Man Dead.

Special to The Washington Herald. Cumberland, Md., April 25.—James H. Cochrane, twenty-nine years old, son of James S. Cochrane, a veteran letter carrier of Cumberland, died yesterday. He had been ill for some time.



THE CONFEDERATE MONUMENT.

SUBMARINES FOR PACIFIC.

Ships Will Go by Way of Panama from Norfolk.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Norfolk, Va., April 25.—There is a great deal of interest in the sending of a half dozen submarine torpedo boats from this navy yard to the Pacific Coast.

The Adder, Tarantula, Viper, and Moccasin, and two others, probably the Holland and the Octopus, will be sent immediately, being shipped via the Isthmus of Panama, transferring by train, and being loaded aboard the transport Buffalo. Eleven hundred men, who have been under training at the St. Helena Naval Station, in this city, are also en route to the Philippines by the same route. The torpedo boats will also go to the Asiatic station, it is said.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer will pay an official visit to the navy yard this week, for the specific purpose of ascertaining the needs of the station.

BYRD LAW SECTION NULLIFIED.

Court Holds Whisky Can Be Given Habitual Drunkard.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Harrisburg, Va., April 25.—Circuit Judge T. N. Haas to-day handed down a decision which goes far toward nullifying that section of the Byrd law covering the sale or procuring of whisky for an habitual drunkard.

The case was that of Frank Strother, who gave whisky to Joseph Willis, who was admitted to be an habitual drunkard. Strother was convicted, but took an appeal.

To-day Judge Haas ruled that the Byrd law defined no penalty for "giving" whisky to an habitual drunkard, but did for "procuring" it for him. He ruled that it was against the law to sell to an habitual, or to take the habitually's money and go and get him whisky, but that one could give his own whisky at will.

BUMPER APPLE CROP.

Indications for Big Yield Around Lynchburg.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Lynchburg, Va., April 25.—While he believes the early fruits have been almost ruined by frosts, George E. Murrell, former president of the Virginia Horticulture Society, and one of the best posted fruit men of Virginia, thinks there will be an immense crop of apples in this portion of Virginia, unless something happens to the bloom in the next few days. There will be peaches in some of the orchards.

G. O. P. DAILY FOR RALEIGH.

North Carolina Republicans Organize Stock Company.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—At a meeting here this evening of the stockholders of a Republican State daily newspaper company, steps were definitely taken to resume publication and the preliminary arrangements were perfected, after which adjournment was taken until Friday, when the directors will be chosen and officers elected.

National Committee man Duncan and State Chairman Adams, who to-day are in Washington on important business, will be present at the next meeting. Every Congressional district was represented at to-day's meeting. The business and editorial staff has already been selected.

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Carolinas, Maryland, and Virginia News

Political and Otherwise.

Star City, W. Va.—At a lot sale here 300 lots were sold in six hours for \$10,000.

Clarkeburg, W. Va.—A new Republican morning daily paper will be established here by John B. Smith, editor of the Harrison County Herald, a weekly. A charter for the Morning Herald Company has been applied for, and the machinery has been purchased.

Fairmont, W. Va.—At a reception given by Mrs. C. H. Riggie, the engagement of Miss Flora Etta Binns and Clyde Davis Barbe was announced. The wedding will take place in June at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Binns. Mr. Barbe is a well-known young business man of Morgantown.

Cumberland, Md.—Fred Vickrey and Miss Nellie Anderson were married last night at the parsonage of Central Methodist Episcopal Church South, Decatur street, by Rev. L. A. Rudasill. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Anderson. The bridegroom is connected with the department store of McMillen Brothers.

Frederick, Md.—Rev. E. C. Makasky Sunday preached his farewell sermon to the Methodist Protestant congregation at Buckeystown, this county, of which he has been pastor for a number of years.

Rev. Mr. Makasky will become pastor of the West Baltimore charge of that denomination. He will be succeeded at Buckeystown by Rev. Luther F. Warner, who has been stationed at Newark, N. J.

Hagerstown, Md.—Potomac Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Hagerstown, Sunday evening began a three days' celebration in honor of the seventieth anniversary of the founding of the local lodge. Sunday evening members of the order to the number of 20 attended services at St. Paul's United Brethren Church, where a special sermon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Statton, whose theme was "The call of the brotherhood." Monday evening anniversary exercises were held in Junior Hall, where the oration was delivered by John B. Goodwin, secretary of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, Grand Secretary William A. Jones, of Baltimore, also made an address.

Westminster, Md.—The ceremonies of instituting Westminster Council, No. 1323, Knights of Columbus, were concluded yesterday afternoon, more than 500 members of the order and ladies being in attendance. The visiting knights represented councils of the order in Baltimore, Hagerstown, Gettysburg, Hanover, and McSherrystown, for the accommodation of whom the Western Maryland Railroad ran special trains from Baltimore and Gettysburg.

Westminster, Md.—Mrs. Maggie A. Shipley, wife of Rev. Grove J. Shipley, died last week at her home at Shipley, aged sixty-two years. Her husband, who survives her, is a local minister of the Methodist Protestant Church, and one of the best known school teachers in this county.

Cumberland, Md.—The Democratic municipal primaries for the election to be held in Hagerstown on the third Monday in May will be held this evening, at which time candidates will be nominated in each of the six wards of the city for ward councilmen, and on Thursday evening the Republican primaries will be held. In a number of wards contests will be waged, and an effort is being made by the Democrats to retain control of the city by putting up a strong ticket. The Republicans will have to elect five out of the six councilmen to regain control of the council.

Norfolk, Va.—Portsmouth and Norfolk men being debarred from holding seats in the city councils because of their employment in the navy yard here, the government has instituted an investigation of political conditions, with the idea of affording them relief, if possible, by the suspension of the rule against civil service employees holding office under the State government.

Cumberland, Md.—Rev. George C. Shaw, pastor of Holy Cross Protestant Episcopal Church, has resigned to accept a call to St. George's Episcopal Church, Mount Savage, Md.

Hagerstown, Md.—Miss Laura Baker, of near Quincy, and Roy Smith, of Buena Vista, made a visit to Chambersburg, were married by Rev. C. W. Brewbaker, pastor of the First Brothers Church. After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside at Blue Ridge Summit, where the groom is engaged in business.

Elkton, Md.—The large warehouse of James Naudan, situated along the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, near Singery Station, two miles north of here, was destroyed by fire. The origin of the blaze is unknown. The loss is only partly covered by insurance.

Elkton, Md.—John Frazer, a leading merchant of Elkton, died suddenly last night at his home here of acute kidney trouble.

Lynchburg, Va.—For the first time in the history of the Corporation Court of Lynchburg the judge will not be called upon to consider the applications for liquor licenses this week, because of the operation of the local option laws in the city.

Wheeling, W. Va.—World-wide Methodism will be represented in Wheeling this week, when the annual meeting of bishops of that denomination will be held. Nineteen bishops from various quarters of the globe will attend, besides prominent Methodist clergymen from several cities of the Middle West. The meeting will open Wednesday and continue until next Monday, with three sessions each day. Gov. William E. Glasscock is expected to deliver an address.

Among those prominent in church work, aside from the bishops who will attend and deliver addresses, are Dr. Doney, president of West Virginia Wesleyan College; Dr. Witherspoon, of Pittsburgh; and Dr. Pippy, of Cleveland.

It has been announced that there will probably be no territorial changes.

Morgantown, W. Va.—"Grandma" Lucinda Fannell died at her home here, age 105 years. In a fall some time ago she was severely injured and since that time has gradually declined. She was born in Shenandoah County, Va. Her memory was almost perfect till the time of her death.

Weston Behind His Schedule.

Lincoln, Ill., April 25.—The elements have overtaken Edward Payson Weston, the pedestrian. He is now two days behind his plans, although not that much behind his original schedule. He left here this afternoon for Springfield.

Deported for Criticizing Diaz.

Mexico City, April 25.—Antonio Dech, a Spaniard, was to-day deported from Vera Cruz to Spain because he had criticized President Diaz in a published article in a newspaper called "Elerra," at Merida, state of Yucatan.

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Not Enough Interest Being Taken in the Outlying Districts.

EVERY ONE SHOULD GET TO WORK

Country Contestants Given the Same Opportunity as Those Who Live in the City.

While no one contestant has turned in any great number of subscriptions, the number received shows very plainly that the interest in the contest is beginning to increase. This we are glad to note, for we had begun to fear that too many people who should recognize this as a great opportunity were going to "pass it up," as it were.

This contest is not only great so far as the value of the prizes is concerned, but will long be remembered by every one, directly or indirectly interested therein, as the greatest advertisement any newspaper ever received in this part of the country. Never before did you have such an opportunity to secure a home. Just stop a moment and figure the number of yearly subscriptions represented in our first grand prize alone. We will have to take in more than 1,000 new yearly subscriptions before we are reimbursed for this one prize; and then, figuring upon a basis of one year to each subscription, it will be one year from now before we shall begin to profit at all.

These figures are colossal when compared with the number of subscriptions which each of our contestants will average. Any one of these prizes represents a far greater number of yearly subscriptions than we expect any one contestant to turn in during the entire contest. As a matter of fact, unless the contestants work somewhat harder than they have heretofore, we can hardly hope to be repaid for even the fifth grand prize.

We figure that there were two thousand visitors at the home on Sunday.

HOW VOTES WILL BE ISSUED  
—IN—  
THE WASHINGTON HERALD'S VOTING CONTEST.

A number of inquiries have been received regarding the scale of votes in The Washington Herald's Great Voting Contest, which leads us to believe it necessary to publish the Declining Vote Scale in each issue of this paper. Below will be found any information you may desire upon this subject.

FIRST PERIOD—From March 27 to May 1, 1909.

		No. of votes.	
		New	Old
BY MAIL OR CARRIER.		Subscription.	Subscription.
1 month's subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	\$3.50	200	100
3 months' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	1.50	1,200	400
6 months' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	3.00	3,000	1,000
1 year's subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	6.00	9,000	2,000
2 years' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	12.00	24,000	8,000
3 years' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	18.00	40,000	12,000

Daily Herald, without Sunday edition, at 40 cents per month, or \$4.80 a year. Twenty per cent less votes will be issued from the above scale.

SECOND PERIOD—From May 3 to June 15, 1909.

		No. of votes.	
		New	Old
BY MAIL OR CARRIER.		Subscription.	Subscription.
1 month's subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	\$3.50	200	100
3 months' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	1.50	600	200
6 months' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	3.00	1,500	500
1 year's subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	6.00	4,500	1,500
2 years' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	12.00	12,000	4,000
3 years' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	18.00	20,000	6,500

Twenty per cent less votes will be issued where subscriptions are received for the Daily Herald, at \$4.80 a year.

THIRD PERIOD—From June 16 to July 3, 1909.

		No. of votes.	
		New	Old
BY MAIL OR CARRIER.		Subscription.	Subscription.
1 month's subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	\$3.50	150	50
3 months' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	1.50	450	150
6 months' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	3.00	1,100	350
1 year's subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	6.00	2,750	850
2 years' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	12.00	6,750	2,100
3 years' subscription Daily & Sunday Herald.....	18.00	11,000	3,500

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